

**THE PORT AUTHORITY OF NEW YORK**

Memorandum

To Mr. Robert J. Linn, Manager, World Trade Center Operations  
 From Harry R. Pool, Jr.  
 Date August 29, 1980  
 Subject: CONSTRUCTION DUST - NEW WORLD RESEARCH CORPORATION -  
 SUITE 1717 - TOWER A - WORLD TRADE CENTER  
 Reference  
 Copy To Messrs. W. Connell, J. Grismer, J. Navas, B. Schuman, M.D.,  
 C. Vasquez

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As requested, the Risk Management Division investigated the complaint received from Mr. C. Tsang, President of the New World Research Corporation, Suite 1717 Tower A World Trade Center, concerning employee illness allegedly caused by asbestos dust.

An interview with Mr. Peter S. T. Pai, Vice President of New World Research Corporation, revealed that a physicians examination of the skin irritations reported by women employees was not connected with construction work in adjacent areas. At the time of the interview there was no evidence of construction dust or insulation fibers in Suite 1717.

If you require additional information, please call me.

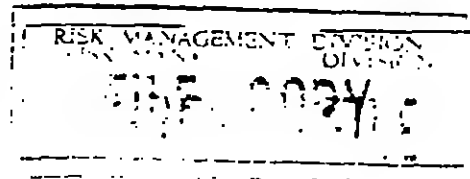
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**The Port Authority of NJ & NY  
World Trade Center Department  
One World Trade Center Suite 63N  
Att: Mr Robert G. Linn, Manager, World Trade Center Operations**

**Dear Sirs:**

**We want to call your attention to the work being done next to our suite 1717 on the 12th Floor. Which has spread asbestos dust through the doors & ventilation ducts causing immediate skin irritations and other undetected trouble to a number of our women employees.**

**Please have this construction work stopped immediately to prevent serious consequences. We have to hold you responsible for any ill effects suffered by our employees.**

**Yours very truly,**

**NEW WORLD RESEARCH CORPORATION**

**C. Tsang, President**

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